

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 047182-0140**

Applicant: Pulickel AJAYAN et al.

Title: NANOTUBE POLYMER COMPOSITE AND METHODS OF  
MAKING SAME

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Application, Applicant respectfully requests that the application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: